HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JUNE 11rn, 1885. PRICE S21 PER MINIU. 四拜禮 號一十月六英卷香 號十七百五千八第 日九十二月四年一十緒光 No. 8579 TO BE LET. INSURANCES. INTIMATIONS. NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES INTIMATIONS. EHIPPING. NOTICE. TO LET OR SELL, AT THE PEAK. THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED. 'SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS FOR SALE. ARRIVALS. THEATRE FIVE ROOMED HOUSE with Tennis PANY, LIMITED June 10, ROLAND, French corvette, Mayer FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LON-COURT, DRYING ROOM, BATH CITY HALL. Registered Office, 40, THERADNEEDLE STREET, DON, AND SINGAPORE. Makung 8th June. ROOMS and OUT-OFFICES Complete. Is prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS RISKS at 3 % nett per Annum, and other In-HE Steamship LONDON. ' \ June 10, ENERGIA, British steamer, 2,063, For-For Particulars apply to . book, Singapore 3rd June, Coals. NAVAL DANBY & LEIGH, BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN BURANCES at Current Rates. "CARDIGANSHIRE," Hongkong, 10th June, 1885. AND THE COLONIES. W. R. Courtney, Commander, having arrived AUTHORITIES. AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China EXPORT PALE ALE. and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Penang, from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are June 10, AMATISTA, British steamer, 522, Th THE BANK receives money on Deposit Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, TO LET. hereby informed that all Goods, with the exception and the Philippines. Hamlin, Taiwaufoo 6th June, Amoy 8th, PATRON: JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, of Opium, are being landed at their risk, into HIS EXCELLENCY FFICES AND CHAMBERS, No. the Godowns of the undersigned, at Wanchai, QUEEN'S ROAD, Intely occupied b SUMMER DRINK. Hongkong, 27th March, 1882. No. 3, behind the premises known as "Blue Messrs, JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.

and Swatow 9th, General.-Douglas La-PRACK & Co. June 10, Kwongsang, British steamer, 1,000, Wood, from Whampon, General. - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

June 10, NINGPO, British steamer, 761, Wm. Potts, from Whampon, General. - SIEMSSEN

June 10, Cardiganshibe, British str., 1,623, W. R. Courtney, London 24th April, and Singapore 4th June, General.—ADAMSON BELL & Co.

CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 10TH JUNE.

Goodell, Amr. bark, for Havre. Walls Castle, British bark, for Manila, Telamon, British str., for Shanghai. Alwine, German str., for Haiphong. Poling, British str., for Shanghai. Carisbrooke, British str., for Saigon.

June 10, HELENE, German sch., for Whampos.

June 10, ANTON, German str., for Hollow. June 10, PERING, British str., for Shanghai. June 10, LIVINGSTONE, Ger. bark, for Quinhon June 10, TAIWAN, British str., for Australia, Passengers.

DEPARTURES.

· ARRIVED. Per Amatista, str., from Taiwanfoo, &c.-44 Per Cardiganshire, str., from London, &c.-Mr. Hector, and 23 Chinese from Singapore.

REPORTS. The British steamer Amatista reports left Taiwanfoo on the 6th June, Amoy on the 8th and Swatow on the 9th. Experienced light S.W. winds and fine, clear weather throughout.

The British steamer Energia reports left Sin gapore on the 3rd June, and had moderate winds from N.E., E. and South with occasional rain; latterly light winds from W. and S.W. with fine weather.

The British steamer Cardiganshire reports left London on the 24th April, and Singapore on the 4th June, and had remarkably fine weather and smooth sea. No monsoon up to the northward of Paracels.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. 27, Hever, German str., from Nagasaki. 28, Yehsin, Amr. str., from Tientsin. 28, Kowshing, British str., from Tientsin. 28, Kwa Hsing, Chinese str., from a craise. 28, Shanghai, British str., from Hankow. 28, Fidelio, German str., from Swatow. 28, Nautilus, Austrian g.-bt., from Amoy. 29, Fungehun, American str., from Tientsin. 29, Pautah, American str., from Tientsin. 29, Ningpo, British str., from Hongkong. 29, Wuchang, British str., from Tientsin. 29, Ichang, British str., from Ningpo. 29, Fuh Wo, British str., from Hankow. 29, Pechili, British str., from Nagasaki. 29, McLaurin, Amr. ship, from New York. 30, A. M. Small, Amr. ship, from New York 30, Helena, British bark, from Penang. 30, Sin Nanzing, British str., from Foochow. 30 Kiang-kwan, Amr. str., from Hankow. Wha-on, British str., from Hankow. 30; P. J. Carleton, Amr. bark, from N. York. SI, El Dorado, British str., from Tientsin. 31, Kiang-teen, American str., from Ningpo. 31, Feilung, British str., from Newchwang. 31. Yungning, Amr. str., from Wenchow, 1. Pekin, British etr., from Hankow. 31, Charon Wattana, Siam, bk., from Bangkok I, Lide, British str., from Swatow, SI, Yoritomo Maru, Jap. str., from K'notzu. 31, Meridian, Siamese bark, from Bangkok. 31, Kwongsang, British str., from Hongkong.

, Yuan Wo, British str., from Hankow. W. C. de Vries, British str., from Hankow. 1. Changking, British str., from Tientsin. . Has-an, American str., from Tientsin. l, Ingo, German str., from Napasaki. l, Hideyoshi Maru, Jap. str., from K'notzu. , Nagoya Maru, Jap. str., from Japan. , Chihaya Maru, Jap. bark, from K'notsu. Sherard Osborn, British str., from H'kong. Seewo, British str., from Amoy. Kiang-yil, American str., from Hankow. Nanzing, British str., from Hongkong. Wismar, German str., from Nagasaki. 2, Paris, British str., from Foochow. 3, Ingeborg, British str., from Nagasaki. 3, Ichnug, British str., from Ningpo. 8, Baikai, Russian str., from Nagasaki. 3. Swatow, British str., from Swatow. 3, Yangteze, British str.; from Hongkong. - DEPARTURES.

27. Fooksang, British str., from Hongkong. 28, Genkai Maru, Jap. str., for Japan. 28, Taiwo, British str., for Hankow. 28. Kiang-teen, American str., for Ningpo. 29, Tamsui, British strin for Amoy. 29, Kiang-foo, American str., for Hankow, 29, Has-ting, American str., for Chofco. 29, Fidelio, German str., for Newchwang, 29, Tunsin, British str., for Swatow. 29, Benlarig, British str., for Hankow. 30. Robilla, British str., for Hongkong. 30, Shanghai, British etr., for Hankow. 30, Hever, German str., for Korea. 30, Laertes, British str., for London. 30, Ichang, British str., for Ningpo. 30, Haverton, British str., for Nagasaki. 31, Wachang, British str., for Chefoo. 31, Kowshing, British str., for Chefoo. 31, Fuh Wo, British str., for Hankow. 31. Yehsin, American str., for Foochow-Pechili, British str., for Nagasaki. 31, Aberdeen, British str., for Hankow. 31, Taiwan, British str., for Melbourne.

Bothwell Castle, British str., for Hankow. Yoritomo Maru, Jap. str., for Kuchinotzu. Ningpo, British str., for Hongkong. Kiang-teen, American str., for Ningpo. Kiang-kwan, American str., for Hankow Fungshun, American str., for Chefoo. Hideyoshi Maru, Jap. str., for K'notzu. Feilung, British str., for Wisdivostock. Ingo, Gorman str., for Nagasaki. Kwongsang, British str., for Hongkong. Lido, British str., for Chefco. Pautah, American str., for Chefoo. I, Pekin, British str., for Hankow. 3, W. C. de Vries, British str., for Hankow. 3. Kwa Heing, Chinese str., for a cruise.

VESSELS ABBIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA. (Per last Mail's Advice.)

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Glenearn (s.)	Shanghai	April 2	4
Elektra (s.)	Hongkong	April 2	1
Iphigenia (s.)	Yokohama	April 2	6
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Hongkong, 10th June, 1885. NOTICE TO MARINERS. MASTERS OF VESSELS taking up Va an Anchorage in the Harbour are CAUTIONED that the Bour marking the Wreck of the late POLICE HULK has been temporarily removed during Repairs.

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Honorary Scorotary. Hongkong, 9th June, 1885. A N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS of the HONGKONG CLUB is hereby convened to take place at the CLUB HOUSE on MONDAY, the 15th instant, at FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., for the purpose of confirming the Resolution passed

at the EXTRACEDINARY MEETING held This Day. A Copy of the Resolution is posted in the Hall of the Club. By Order of the General Committee, EDWARD BEART, Secretary. Hongkong, 1st June, 1885. A HISTORY OF THE PAST DECADE

IN THE FAR EAST. JUST PUBLISHED. DEMY 8vo. pp. 163, Слоти, \$2.00. INVENTS IN HONGKONG AND THE FAR EAST. 1875 to 1884 Arranged Chronologically, with Copious INDEX, by which the date of any event can be

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All letters for publication should be written on one ide of the paper only. Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not liture benefituon, ad "liw boired period will" be continued until After that hour the supply is limited.

On the 5th June, at "Cloudlands," the wife of A P. MACEWEN, of a Daughter. On the Srd instant, at Claremont House, South Norwood, London, SARAE, the beloved wife of AL. FAID GEORGE MORRIS.

Mongkono, June 11th, 1885. Ten increase of insanity, which is one of the corollaries of advancing civilization, appears to be deserving of public attention in Hongkong as well as in England. At home public attention has been aroused the subject within the last few years by the observation that in the United Kingdom the number of insane has almost doubled in twenty years, increasing three times faster than the population. In 1860 there were it the United Kingdom 65.130 lunatics under detention, equal to 2,326 lumatics for every million inhabitants, whilst there were in 1880 as many as 112,599 (93,385 gistered under the care of the Lunacy Commissioners and 19,205 unregistered residing with their friends), equal 3,217 per million inhabitants. The painful interest naturally attaching to this discovery is increased by the additional observation based on reliable statistics, viz., that the United Kingdom has a higher rate of insanity than other countries, the rate of ineanity per million inhabitants being 2,302 in Germany, 2,208 in France, 1,509 in the United States, 1,840 in Canada; and 1,830 in Australia. There is one special feature. connected with this state of things which lends interest to the subject, and that is the fact that the conviction has forced the Chinese youth of Hongkong in our Goitself upon the Lunsey Commissioners I vernment Schools has generally the effect of as well as upon all competent student of the subject, that this terrible increase insanity is due to causes largely preventible. Although such evils as insanity and its usual concomitant, suicide, are to a certain degree inseparable from civilization it is as palpably within our power to reduce and minimize their ravages as it was Dr. FARE to diminish by one-half the death rate of our soldiers in Indian barracks. sppears that the principal increase of insanity has taken place among the working classes, i.e., among the very people for the promotion of whose health we have not taken sufficient measures; and that our neglect in this particular is also productive of moral deterioration is abundantly proved by the fact that the majority of criminals in the United Kingdom have a very low range of intellect and that about four per cent, of the prison population of England and twelve per cent. of that of Scotland are only a few de grees above idiotoy. There can be no doubt frequency of cases of idiotoy, lunacy, and now-s-days that a large waste of human intellect is due to the vis inertice of municipal of Chinese social life. It is sincerely to be trouble not let a single word be put in, saying that and governmental neglect, which obstructs so hoped that the educational influences many valuable efforts to improve the sanitary European civilisation may be directed to is not the first time we have had to make a comconditions of life among the lower classes of society. Civilized poverty, says Dungan, is the botbed of insanity. Education in the purely Chinese schools of the Colony. and insanity, wrote CRICHTON BROWNE, are increasing all over Europe. Even the kong, we take this opportunity to point out Lunacy Commissioners have at last dis. to those whom it may concern that there covered that "insanity often arises from a. depraved bodily condition caused by in. the Government have provided a fine new sufficient food and crowded dwellings." The building for a Lunatic Asylum, and provided value of fresh air is shown by the case of a it with a proper staff under proper medical village in Switzerland, mentioned by Mr. superintendence, but that nothing has been ing an increase of taxation on Beer and Spirits BRUDENELL CARTER-s case which forcibly done yet to remove the lunatics at present reminds us of the determined war our locked up in cages at the Tung-wah Hospital worthy Surveyor-General, in the interests of santation, waged against the back-toback system of Chinese dwelling houseswhere the Swiss municipality removed cer. pital, tokespunder restraint and todeprive of tain high walls and the ratio of idiot births | their liberty as well as of proper rational treatdeclined one-half. The high-pressure system | ment, unfortunate Chinese beings, supposed in vogue in our schools and colleges, pain. be lunatics. Is the lunatic asylum of the fully illustrated by the fact that in one year | Tung-wah Hospital under the constant actual. we have seen nine students in England observation of the Colonial Surgeon? He commit suicide, indicates another preventible makes no allusion to it in his report. Did source of insanity. Intemperance, as a source | the Registray-General or any Magistrate of insanity and suicide, and likewise the loss authorize the fercible detention by the Tung- by a young local smatter, Mr. G. Grimble, who is said to be of some of the contract, and a complete absence of any first named has a branch or similar organization. of those religious feelings which contribute | wah Hospital authorities of the lunatics conto the strength and endurance of the mind, stantly kept there?" These are questions are so well known to operate as powerful which deserve being looked into, and we trust the authorities concerned will not fail to do causes of so-called temporary as well as of constitutional insanity that they require | so, not merely once a year or so, but that merely to be mentioned. Thus it is also they will be kept permanently in mind, for

in England are between consina. tween consins constitute, indeed, a factor each of us owes to society, are the population, but are only too common among inity.

with marriages between cousins, of which

the Portuguese, among whom mental derangements, idiotey, and insanity in its various degrees, are believed to be making sad ravages, although no statistics are available to enable us to speak with comparative cortainty. That "hotbed of insanity," above referred to on the authority of Professor Duncan, viz., civilized poverty, is prominently flourishing in Hongkong in the case of the Portuguese community. Next, as to education, we should very much like to see the Inspector of Schoole, in his next Annual Report, paying attention to the question we herewith propound to him, whether, in watching the operation of the Grant-in-Aid Scheme and the cramming tactics adopted by teachers in order to secure high Daily News." grants, combined with the system in vogue North .- To avoid delay in the execution of among the local Portuguese of sending their children to achool at the early age of 5 and 6 years and of keeping them on a starvation diet all along by reason of poventy, he might not find that physical constitution, bad pourishment, and cramming bave great deal to do with the low degree intellectual activity which he deplores to find year by year exemplified in the inability of the Portuguese youths to do their simple preferred by the Master of the British steamer able. Miss Blanche Thompson as Edith, and composition exercises as well as Eurasian or Asiatic children. We really fear that the evils of high-pressure schooling, which experience has shown in England generally to associate themselves with the working of the Grant-in-Aid system, may be at work in FOrders for extra copies of the Daily Press should | Hongkong too, to the detriment of health Portuguesa fellow-residents. As regards the native population of Hong-

> kope more particularly, we need not point out to our renders that, although in this case likewise no statistics are available, it is a matter constantly obtruding itself upon the observation of those who watch the curious phenomena of social life among the Chinese, that cases of insanity and suicide are of painfully frequent occurrence. In fact, with the single exception of marriages between cousing, all the fruitful sources of insanity above mentioned-bad ventilation and overcrowded houses, want of fresh air, especially at nighttime, intemperance, poverty, bad nourishment, loss of religious feelings, and, finally, cramming in school-are operating in Hongkong, combined with the enervating force of a tropical climate, in a highly intensified degree. Our Sanitary Commission has done something, but has yet an immense deal to do. The system, once so common in Hong. the bedstead has, we believe, been rooted The surface gutters in the Chinese portions of the town are kept tolerably clean. drains are gradually being improved or built, the new Building Ordinance has also improved some matters in the system of build. ing, but Chinese houses are still as much overcrowded at night time as ever. As to intemperance, poverty, and consequent bad nourishment, we must leave these evils to work, as far as they can, their own cure, having the consolation of feeling that neither the Government nor the European community have had any share in producing or sugmenting the spread of such evils among the Chinese people. So also, in some measure, we may say, if it has been observed that the spread of English education among destroying their allegiance to Confucian ligion and ethics without substituting a better religion and higher principles of morality, such is perhaps the unavoidable drawback of the secular system; but there is really no they retired. other system practicable under the circumstances of our Colony, nor is there any other system which would not have other and far more injurious drawbacks attending in its train. But as to cramming in Chinese schools, and that national system of Chinese education which consists in incessant sharpening of the other two could not be made out. When the memory for some three years, and loading it Ingeborg got within some distance of her a blank with the dead weight of a merely mecha- slowed the engines and put the helm over so as nical knowledge of the sounds of thousands to head the French man-of-war, understanding of Chinese-characters, without any training of the intellect or any food for the emotions, | ser passing within a few feet of the ship, going before anything like rational teaching and between the bridge and funnel and falling in the educational work is commenced, we cannot help seeing in it a powerful cause of that officer immediately boarded the vessel and greatlow average of intellect, and of that terrible suicide, which characterize the darker side how it was he did not stop, but the Frenchman counteract, as far as possible, these vicious tendencies of the system of teaching in vogue As to lonatic asylums existing in Hongappears to us some anomaly in the fact that to this Government Asylum. We question altogether the right of this so-called eleemosynary corporation, yelept the Tung-wah Hos-

expense that two per cent, of all marriages on the part of the authorities. only extent in Hongkoug, as well as in Eng. | insanity conclusively show that married land, but are at work in Hongkong in a people are less exposed to it than unmarried largely intensified degree both among the people. Indeed, domestic ties, especially lower classes of Portuguese and among Chi. when coupled with religious training in nese residents of Hongkong. Marriages be- youth and with a sense of the duties that time the management of the company might these two at once hastened off to No. 2 Station termined by the default on the plaintiff's part nese character. The Chinese as a rule want correspondence, agreed on a treaty and rules perentirely absent in the case of our Chinese safeguards against the growing evil of insa-

the subject is of such a nature and of such

We learn that the land line of the Manila telegraph is interrupted. The French corvette Roland, Captain Mayer,

The British steamer Airlie leaves the Cosmopolitan dock to-day and the O. and O. steamer Arabic goes over there. The British steamer Energia, from Singapore

3rd instant, with a cargo of coals for the Government, arrived here yesterday. We are informed by the Agent that the M. M. Co.'s steamer Saghalien, with the next French mail, left Saigon at eleven o'clock yesterday

. The use of the telephone is extending in tween Tientsin and Taku was completed.—N. C.

was recently purchased by the Irdo-China Steam Navigation Company, left England for China about the 3rd May .- N. C. Daily News.

broken out on board the U.S.S. Palos at Canton, and that five of the orew have already fallen victims to this scourge of the East." If this be so the fact has been kept very quiet down here.

A Marine Court will assemble at the Harbour Master's Office to-day, at 10.30 a.m., to investigate certain charges of misconduct, &c., Welcombe against the Chief Engineer of that

between Austria and Korea. The Austrian gunboat Nautilus proceeds to Japan during next week, to embark Count Zaluski, the Austrian Minister: whence the Nautilus will leave for Jenchuan .-- Mercury.

The Courier says the Waverley has left the Pescadores, bound to Saigon, for a cargo of stores for the French-so it is rumoured. The same being transferred from Kelung to the Percadoros, where it is said they are to remain for some time.

Sherard Osborn that took the principal part in laving the submarine cable from the new English paval station to the North-Saddle, and that she was very nearly lost in doing it. She ran on to the North Saddle, but fortunately on a sandy his part of the duet with Mabel, when he leaves beach. If she had gone on the rocks which were within thirty yards of her, she would probably

A correspondent writes to the N. C. Daily News from Kaiping:—"Railway matters look gloomy, in spite of absard stories of Globe Hotel origin. This colliery is turning out 800 to 850 tons a day, which sells readily, and it is hoped this year to clear off all pressing liabilities and declare a dividend. The railway pays well, and is always hard at work. It is a very chean, light line of 4' 8"4 gauge, but answers its purpose well enough until an extension can be made.

The veteran Tso Tsung-t'ang is very much aggrieved at not having been summoned to Tientsin to help to settle the French difficulty. been left out in the cold. His Excellency wrote kong, of keeping pigs in upstairs-rooms under | a letter to Admiral Courbet the other day, inviting him to a diplomatic interview: but we have not heard that the request was granted. The old gentleman is in fair bodily health considering his age and bulk, but is in most respects quite past work.—N. C. Daily News.

The combination of the regular China lines of ship owners has failed to prevent outside steamers obtaining freight at Hankow. The Pathan filled at £1 53, per ton, and the Afghan was loading and was nearly full on the 1st inst. her rate was £1 5s, and £1; and it was said the Aberdeen was also engaged full. We hear that a great part of the tea they are taking has been shipped by Russians, who had to pay £410s, per send their tea in the Pathan and Aberdeen to

which is said to have occurred during the battle one" were ospitally given and encoved; a new. of the Pescadores. As the French ships steered straight for shore, a Cerman gunner in the fort fired twelve shots at the advancing enemy, eight of which reached the mark; but on account of The character appeared to lose none of its effect of force they failed to penetrate the sides of the of the final cot, when the erring peers have re-French ships. Maddened with rage and disappointment, the German fell down dead, having landed, but were opposed by the Cantonese, who, though they had run short of provisions, kept the adversaries at bay for three days before

The Courier of the 3rd instant says :-- We have been requested by Captain Kleffel, of the steamer Ingeborg, to bring the following to the notice of the public. At about 3 p.m. vesterday. the stramer Ingeborg, bound from Nagasaki to Shanghai, with a carge of coals, sighted a French man-of-war at anchor between Gutzlaff and the Saddle Islands. She was flying four signals, two of which were entangled in the halyards and the shot was fired. Captain Kleffel immediately a shot to be the signal to "Heave to," but before the vessel could get round, a ball from the cruiwater within fifty yards from the steamer's side brought the Ingeborg to a standstill. A French ed the captein in the following polite style, "My third shot would have been at your water line." Captain Kleffel tried to explain to the officer steamers ought to look out for the men-of-war. After examining the ship's papers he left. This plaint of insults received from French officers.

LATEST TELEGRAMS

LONDON, 9th June.

DEFEAT OF THE MINISTRY. On the second reading of the Budget, the Bill was thrown out by the House of Commons The Premier announced that he would consider it a Cabinet question if the House adopted Sir Michael Hicks-Beach's amendment condema-The Ministry are expected to resign in consequence of their defeat.

THE "PIRATES OF PENZANCE"

AT THE CITY HALL. The Mascotte Opera Company, were again well patronised on Tuesday evening, on the occasion their producing Gilbert and Sullivan's "Pibeing manipulated, in the absence of Miss Hubert. there should be only three daughters and that before Mabel appears Frederick should we have still too many in England, as it importance as to demand constant vigilance be asking of the other two, "Oh is there not find it a useful hint. This part of the performance was evidently its weakest, otherwise out delay, but his approach to the village was through such default. This was not a case in their neighbours or as others do. A want of are situated on the Russo-Chinese borders. Inthe opera was given in a satisfactory manner, observed by a woman, who at once gave the which the court could in any way grant an in, Individuality appears to be the leading trait in temptional and political affairs are to be dealt

from Makung 8th inst., arrived here yesterday

pleasure from the performance. The compositions of Gilbert and Sullivan, indeed, seem to cover, and the police only accorded in captur- | tion of granting an injunction. The Attorney. bear a vast amount of repetition. Miss Eva Davenpert adertook the role of it is feared they have managed to get out of perpetual injunctions. To show how inconsistent Mabel very successfully, her singing and acting throughout being of a very finished and time most ready to assist the authorities of this artistic order. Perhaps the most successful thing done by her was her part in that ever telling duet with Frederick, "Oh, leave me not to pine," which was loudly and deservedly applanded. Miss Davenport was equally good in her exhortation to the police to go to slaughter covered that the quees had been out from the ing. The defendants entirely denied the allega and to death, and all through it was evident she parried with her the approval of the audience. The part of Ruth fell to Miss Florence the deadly vengeance inflicted on the deceased Seymour, and considering that in appearance and voice that lady was hardly the basis upon Hakka notions of justice as recog- upon the plaintiff, and he had not produced the let chair, and an official chair containing ap-The Kutsang, late Driburgh Abbey, which popular conception of the piratical maid of all work, she did remarkably, well, giving a painstaking and conscientious interpretation of the seen near the City Hall in the evening by the the contract for granting the plaintiff some part. One generally expects, however, to see it The Courier understands that "cholera has in the hands of a heavier and more buxon woman, and the music would be rendered better by a contracto voice than by Miss Seymour's mezzosoprano, good though it is. The lady would doubtless have been seen to much more advantage in the part of Mabel, for which her appearance, voice, and general style are far more suit- the body. Miss Stella as Kate, General Stanley's daughters, were all that could be desired; they both A treaty of commerce will shortly be signed sang well, and went as far as two could to make up for the want of much larger numbers. We might suggest to Miss Stella, perhaps, that in the scene where Evederick surprises them getting their shoes off, she keeps up her hopping on the one shod foot somewhat too long and automatiponent in Mr. Vernon Reid, whose only notepaper is informed that the French toops are worthy fault, as far as we could see, was an occasional tendency to go through the dialogue somewhat too rapidly and indistinctly. Other-The Courier understands that it was the wise Mr. Reid sang and acted the part very artistically, and met with much applause. rendering of "Oh, is there not one maiden breast ?" was a treat to his hearers, as was also her to rejoin the pirates. Mr. Edward Farley made as good a Pirate-King as has ever been seen in this colony, though to our thinking a little more animation would have improved the personation. His song "Oh, what a glorious life to lead" was capitally sung, and throughout his baritone showed itself well suited to the music. which was rendered very ably. Mr. Neil O'Brien undertook the part of Major-General Stanley, and gave, on the whole, a very fair interpretation of the part. He was not, however, seen to such salvantage as in the two previous operas, and coming as he does efter our local star. Mr. Traeb, he was no doubt compared by many of and makes no secret of his opinion that he has the andience to that exceedingly elever actor. In the vocal part of it he could give many points to the latter, but his acting was somewhat wanting in life and expression. Mr. E. Scott did fairly well as Samuel, the Pirate Lieutenant. The from Masso. only other character is that of the Sergeant of Police, and this, owing to the continued sickness of Mr. Tyrrall, who usually fills the part, was undertaken by a local amateur who has been favourably known on our stage before under the unusual for such expressions to be used in this nom de theutre of Mr. Brandon. It was evident court. from the first that the audience were very ready to recognise amateur talent, for he was applaud- to the matter ed on his first appearance. His make up was excellent, and he looked the character the ghly. His corps of police were well drilled, enc. sched

London, and thence forward it to St. Petersburg. him up well in the choruses and the movements. Both the song "When the forman bares his always been held that there must be translations. The Hu Pao gives the following specdote, steel" and " A policeman's lot is not a happy verse being given to the latter in answer to the call, which was received with much applause. the small size of the shell and the insufficiency in the hands of an amateur. At the conclusion the police had made inquiries and found that I solved to resume their legislative functions and marry the General's daughters, the stage was illuminated with coloured lime light, and with the red ensign in his hand, Mr. Vernon Reid came forward and sang "Rule Britannia," the entire strength of the performers joining in the chorns. . Mr. Reid sang the song in a manner which raised patriotic emotions among large numbers of his hearers, and it was succeeded by

> the evening and we doubt if this national song. so dear to all Britons, has ever been more effectively rendered in the colony. This evening the Company will perform " La] fille de Madame. Angot." Mdlle. Lange is one of Miss Davenport's most successful characters, judging from the critiques which have appeared in the home and Indian papers, all of which speak in the highest terms of her representation of it. Mr. Farley has also received high er

> > THE HOMICIDE AT WONG NEI CHEONG.

sonation of Larivaudière.

As we briefly notified in our yesterday's issue there is another to add to our already terribly long list of murders or deaths from personal murder on that occasion, it having been reported as such in the first instance, it seems there is now death of the victim of the affair does not come not allege, however, that the defendants had come upon the lower classes of Chinese in the colony. under the somewhat less grave term of man. mitted a breach of the contract in this colony. slaughter. Besides the inspector of the district, Inspector, Swanston, Inspectors Perry, the defendants had threatened to withdraw the reference to the Tsat-tsz-mui murder, there can Quincey, and P. S. Butlin, of the detective deposit of \$100,000 from the Bank. The defend- to one acquainted with Chinese usages, be no staff, have been busily engaged, since the receipt of news of the affair, in investigating the been the smallest proof of anything of the kind. that village was a party to the crime. A number circumstances connected with it. Though one man is in custody in connection with the matter, and the case has been before the Police Court there is not at present anything in ovidence with and regard to it. As far as we have been able to ascertain, however, the facts are as follow. The scene of the tragedy is the upper part of the ed an injunction upon such a whimsical ground as the reign of terrorism which now seems to have rates of Penzance." The opera was placed upon as the Haunted House. As is the case with a junction. The court could not grant the in- the Trind Society, or the Tung-wah Hospital the stage very creditably, the dresses and scenery | very large proportion of affairs of this kind, there | junction upon the mere allegation, without evid- | Committee are in any way officially connected is a woman in the matter, about whom the whole | ence or proof of any kind, of a threat by the de- | with these murders; but I do think that the being good and appropriate. The orchestra, quarrel has arisen. The deceased, Su Afak, was fendant to withdraw the \$100,000 on deposit. stern repression of each and all of these societies, under the leadership of Mr. Kelly, was again a a gardener about 30 years of age, and at another The Attorney-General contended that the cause usurping as they do the functions of Governconsiderable acquisition, the piano on this occasion small but a short stone's throw from his house of action was founded upon a contract which ment in a manner which would appear incredible lives a girl seventeen or eighteen years of age. had been made in Macao, and which had never to the uninitiated, would be an unmixed benefit accompanied in a very artistic and satisfactory what forward manners and not much troubled proof that the case came within the provisions in San Francisco, California, called the Hipmanner throughout. With the exception of those with the modesty so common among Chi- of the law relating to foreign attachment. They yee-tung, the working of which in that city (San of General Stanley's daughters, which were weak ness girls of her age, or to have taken had to prove that some one or more of the de- Francisco; will be found fully described in in point of numbers, the choruses of the opera it that the prisoner had been so far intimate perty, and this they had not done. The Attorney- Chinese immigration. Both the Po-lemig-kuk were the best the company has given. It no with the wife of the man in custody as to rouse General further contended that he had shown and the Hip-yee-tung are estensibly benevelent doubt took a great deal from the effect that the latter's jealousy. At all events it seems by the evidence behad produced that the property institutions, designed to prevent kidnapping; that these two men were at first the only parties | was not attachable, and the question was not one | their real object, however, is to secure the purin the quarrel. The prisoner came upon the de- which came within the jurisdiction of the pro- chased rights of slave owners and in every posat the back of the houses, and made some accuse tot the Charkish from Admiralty Reports, in his, to them, silly ideas on the subject of one maiden breast?" Of course one can quite tions against him. The deceased replied by The Attorney-General therefore contended individuality and personal liberty. Do not for In conclusion, we may mention, for the appreciate the difficulty a travelling company is threatening to knock him down, and a souther that apart altogether from the question one moment suppose me to be actuated by anti-Now, let it be observed, as regards the benefit of a certain portion of our readers, in to get at anything of a chorus of ladies, but ensued. Presently the prisoner was joined by of jurisdiction, the plaintiff had, not made Chinese prejudices in writing thus; quite the C. Daily News. case of Hongkong, that all the above men. the interesting fact that the latest inquiries the experiment has been tried here before on ceased, belabouring him with their fists, and junction. There was not the smallest proof that Colony on the outskrits of this vast empire of tioned causes of insanity and suicide are not into the question of safeguards against more than one occasion of procuring the perhaps kicking him. The decessed was the plaintiff had faithfully fulfilled his part of China, we should endeavour to keep the place. assistance of several of our young choristers, and knocked down, and it is presumed that one the contract, 'nor that the termination of the thoroughly British, and thus by showing the large each time they have proved a very useful and unlucky blow on the body ruptured his spleen contract was through no fault or default upon numbers of Chinese frequenting the colony instead and here. A Governor resides at Wu-lu-mu--always the most vital part of a Chinamari-as | the plaintiff's part. He had also failed to prove titutions and customs, let us hope, wiser and ohi; and chows and district cities are established successful addition. By this time there must be he dropped down and died in a few moments. that the money was payable to him in Hongkong better than their own, remove from their minds many of them who are well acquainted with the The fight was witnessed by an old man and wo- as be had alleged. The defendants, on the con- that slavish dread of individual-action which is Fun-Mts. Liu Kin-tang, the Governor General of music. We mention this fact as at some future man who had been out there to collect rent, and trary, had proved that the contract had been do: so marked and prominent a feature in the Chito give information to the police. Inspector to pay the monthly instalments, and that the precedent for everything, it must be as their

ing one of them. The other three got clear, and | General quoted from Carr, p.p. 430 and 431, on the colony to Kowloon City, in which case they | and loose the plaintiff's claim was, he pointed out are safe, as the local Mandarin, who was at one thatin the petition the plaintiff prayed to have the colony in every way, now declines to render the rectly after he prayed for a perpetual injunction smallest help an account of the difficulty the Chi- against the defendants from touching the money nese authorities have experienced in securing the If the court did as the plaintiff prayed for in the rendition of offenders applied for from this first instance, the injunction would be perfectly

When the police found the body they dis- for the defendants to be prohibited from touchdeceased's head, which is in accordance with then that at the end of the contract, or its de-Chinese customs in the case of a man offending | termination before that time, through no fault or as the deceased is said to have done. In fact default on the part of the plaintiff, the money seems, like the Test Tez Mui case, to have its onus of proving that such was the case must lie which were dyed mauve colour, a gorgaous scarnised by them in China. The people in these smallest proof of it. The Attorney-General villages are all Hakkas. It is said that another proceeded to argue that the arrangeone of the men who attacked the deceased was ments made subsequently to the signing of woman who witnessed the crime but was not ar- equitable consideration were quite immaterial to instant. The work of relieving the sufferings

The man in custody admits having taken a proved. The defendants had proved that they has already been begun by Dr. Elizabeth Reifshare in beating the deceased, but denies having had performed their part of the contract, and struck the fatal blow, a statement which seems had not failed in any way; and not only had made her name known throughout the world to be in accordance with the two witnesses ideas. they done that, but they had shown that they and the occasion of establishing the work in a The prisoner was before the Police Court yes- had treated the farmer, when he seemed to be building in which it can be permanently and erday, but no evidence was taken, and an inquest | pressed, with consideration, and had been quite

SUPREME COURT.

June 10th. IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

BEFORE MR. E. J. ACEROYD, ACTING CHIEF.

KWOK SING HING V. ROZA AND OTHERS.

L. O'Malley), instructed by Messra. Wotton and by reason of his defaults in his monthly pay- that before long the promoters, the Woman's Deccon, for the defendants. of Macao, was re-called and re-examined by the proceeded to what he termed the more important

Attorney-General. He said that in the suits | point, that of the jurisdiction of this court over brought by the plaintiff at Macao the Attorney- a matter of this kind. In this case, he said, General there was the person sued. The Attorney-General was proceeding to ask of the Government of Macao, as agent of the questions with regard to the law of Macao, Government of Portugal, attached by the plain-

Macao law upon this case. Mr. Barbosa, accountant to the Junta of for him to go largely into the question Macso, was then called, and he said he was ac- whether a foreign government or sovereign was quainted with the book of record of contracts amenable to the jurisdiction of the court kept by the Junta. All documents sent to the had proved with regard to the status of the do- the lady to whose benevolence the hospital prin-Junta were kept in the archives. He had ex- fendants that personally they had no interest in cipally owes its existence. Here, too, are the amined the Contract Book with reference to this this transaction, and all their acts in connection dispensary and operating room, the arrangement case. The copies of the three contracts entered with it were performed as members of the Junta. being such that the patient, will come in at one into with respect to this monopoly produced He had also proved the purpose for which the door, be seen in turn by Dr. Reifsnyder, receive were correct, and there were no other contracts. deposit of \$100,000 had been paid into the Treat their prescriptions, present them through a

ring to this case into the book. The Attorney-General proceeded to put locuments which passed between the parties. He put in one document, and inquired what it

The Attorney-General-Oh. yes, that doonment refers to his abscording, running away

plaintiff is a resident here in Hongkong, where The Attorney-General-I think it is most

Mr. Francis.—They are the only terms, I think, which can effectively be used with regard

His Lordship-You could qualify it by some other terms, Mr. Francis; I think in that matter both parties were at fault. duced in evidence, on the ground that it had

Mr. Francis objected to the letters being pro-The letters were admitted, and this one in question was stated to be from the Superintenlent of Police to the Secretary-General of Macao to the effect that the plaintiff having given as a reason for not being present at the Junta when summoned, that he was unwell was not so, and that he had gone to Hongkong. The Attorney-General said that concluded his having wilfully and maliciously killed another the motion of the Rev. A. J. Bamford, seconded Mr. Francis said he proposed to call no evidence

The Attorney-General again addressed the

court for the defendants, and he proceeded first o deal with the provisions of the Code under which the writ of foreign attachment had been issued in this case. He drew sttention to sub section 1 of Section 82, part of which provided that the cause of action must be within the jurisdiction of the court. He also drew attention to provisions contained in other subsections tumultuous applause, after which the chorus was with a view to showing that in order to obtain repeated. It was the most successful thing of an injunction, as was sought in this case, by the exceptional means of a writ of foreign attach; perty on the 9th inst. ment/it must be proved that the case was applicable to the law of foreign attachment. plaintiff had to show that the defendant was beneficially entitled to lands in the colony An attempt had been made to get the writ of foreign attachment set aside by an affidavit filed by the defendants, but His Lord ship had decided that it would be impracticable, at all events inconvenient, to try the question of jurisdiction upon affidavits, and it would be the better and more convenient course to wait till the petition was filed and have it tried in the i the pipe holes clear. comiums from competent critics for his imper- hearing of the case upon the svidence. was therefore the time for testing the jurisdiction of the court. He submitted that the plaintiff had called no evidence, and had by no means shown that the facts of the case were such as to emble the court to exercise jurisdiction over it: he had entirely failed to do so, and upon that point the plaintiff had failed to prove his | [We do not keld ourselves responsible for the opinion case. The contract was made at Macac, but the plaintiff alleged that something had occurred violence. Though we described the matter as a here which brought the case within the jurisdiction of the court. If the action were founded upon a breach of contract as supplementary to a some amount of doubt as to whether that is the understand it being a suit of which cause of that blood-stained collection of squatters' huts term to be legally applied, and whether the action arose in this colony. The plaintiff did known as Test-tez-min has had a most evil effect ants had made no such threat, and there had not manner of doubt whatever that every adult in to urge as a ground of action that he had enter vet not only were they allowed to go free, but did not care whether there was a breach or not, patronage and protection of our local Governed into a contract was enough. If the court grant-Wong-nei-cheong Valley smang the market gar that, it would amount to this, that the plaintiff fairly set in amongst the native population. might go into an office, get a contract signed, do not, however, for one moment believe that modifications, and M. Patenôtre, following the dens in the vicinity of the ruined building known and directly after come to the court for an in- the Chinese societies called the Po-leung-kuk

declaration of right upon the contract. he could loose upon the colony of the thug villagers of and he had not produced the smallest proof of late would appear to have been to thwart and anything of the kind. He alleged, however, that | vex the police in every possible way. That being so, it only remained for the plaintiff of these fiendish beings were accually in custody; ed into a contract with the defendants, and he actually now squat on British soil, under the ask the court to give him an in- ment. unction upon the contract brespective of any portation of everyone of these blood-thirsty, cruel breach, and that the mere fact of having enter- misoreants from the colony would at the present some liberties with her. Another account has fendants were beneficially interested in this pro- Seward's excellent and trustworthy book on ceased at about three p.m. in a small paddy field visions of the Code. He quoted the case sible way to thwart the hated "outside barbarian" three other men, and the four set upon the de- out any case for the granting of an in- reverse. I think that having established a British

money declared his and handed over to him, and diuseless, for there would be nothing remaining

was to be repaid to him in Hongkong. The the issue of this action, the contract having been of Chinese women as only a lady dector can de will be opened at the Mortuary this afternoon on ready to listen to and consider any representatory of philanthropic work in China. More tions he might make. Whatever plea the plaintiff might have upon the provision with regard to forced measures and fortuitous circumstances, it was not a question for this court at all, though it might be a matter for the consideration of the courts at Macao. The defendants had proved their performance of the contract, and the failure to do so by the plaintiff, and if there was a question of fortuitous circumstances it was for the plaintiff to prove it. The plaintiff had also light and well ventilated rooms, and spacious claimed that the defendants had no right to de- verandahs at the back, was originally intended termine the contract without giving him due for the administrative department of the hospital, ictice, but as Mr. Leitão had pointed out, the Mr. Francis, instructed by Mr. Caldwell, for contract was a self acting one, and it was rescinded without any protest from the plaintiff, ments. Having argued against the plaintiff's Mr. Leitão, delegate of the Attorney-General claim on general grounds the Attorney-General there was a sum of \$161,000, the public money when Mr. Francis objected; but after a tiff in this suit-a matter affecting the finance lengthy argument, the questions were allowed, of that colony. The question was whether the tion there are private wards for single patients. and the witness gave his views of the bearing of plaintiffs were amenable to the jurisdiction this court. He did not think it was necessary

He copied all the minutes in the sessions refer- sury, where it contributed to the safe working of that, branch of the Government, and was the head nurse, or some one else qualified to a security against the failure of the revenue.

His Lordship expressed an opinion that the question of jurisdiction might have been raised another door. Dr. Reifsnyder's private apartt first, and first dealt with, as it might have The witness said it was as to the abscording frondered it quite unnecessary to go into the merits of the case. The Attorney-General said he had raised question, but being called upon to produce his ment. In this erection are a kitchen, a bedroom evidence he had gone into the whole question of

approval of the court. He then went on to quote a large number of authorities the case spacious drying room for linen, a bathroom of the Charkieh, and read an extract from Foote's International Law. He also instanced the cases of the Havre against the King of Portugal, and the same against the Queen of Spain, and many

Mr. Francis said he could not proceed wit his defence until he was supplied with translations of the Portuguese documents which had His Lordship then adjourned the case un

next Tuesday at 11 s.m. POLICE COURT. June 10th. BEFORE ME. E. MACREAN.

No evidence was taken, pending the inquest. and the case was adjourned to Saturday. RETÜRNING FROM BANISHMENT

Li A Ng. stonegatter, was charged with r turning from deportation on the 9th inst. The defendant, who admitted the offence, w. found at Shaukiwan by Inspector Mackie. The case was remanded to to-day.

and there were also a few patients awaiting DISORDERLY CONDUCT. William Bradley, a steward, pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct and wilful damage to pro-The defendant apsets hawker's stall in Eaststreet, and damaged his fruit. He was fined 25 cents, and ordered to pay 25 cents amends to the hawker, in default of which he was committed

to gael for three days. BREACH OF CONTRACT. Lui Shun, of 13, Un Shing-lane, Government contractor, was charged with committing binson-roads between eight and nine a.m. to keep of Sir Harry Parkes. The German officers who

He admitted the charge, and was bound over in personal recognisances of \$25 to be of good behaviour for twelve months.

CORRESPONDENCE. expressed by our Correspondents.] THE TSAT-TSZ-MUI BUTCHERY. SIR .- As might have been expected, the letting The one aim and object of the Executive of juncture have a most saintary effect in removing

and though the charm of newelty was certainly slarm. Directly she did so the four men who junction; it was a matter which could be come the Chinese character and a full appreciation of wanting, the audience seemed to derive much had been engaged in the attack on the deceased pletely adjusted by the ordinary process of law; this fact may fairly be looked upon as the key cleared out of the village, and serembled up and on general grounds it was not a case on to a correct knowledge of much which goes on the hillside, on which there is a good deal of which the court could exercise its peculiar jurisdic- amongst our native fellow colonists. - Your setc.,

> Hongkong, 10th June, 1885. SHANGHAI.

The American Assessor sat on the beach at the Mixed Court with his Worship Huang on the 2nd instant. There were no cases of im-

Shao Tao-t'ai gave his daughter in marriage on the 3rd instant, and no cases were heard in the Mixed Court on that day. A procession, in connection with the wedding, went shrough the Settlement in the afternoon. It consisted of the Taot'si's soldiers in new uniforms, a number of dirty little boys carrying his title-boards, a chair containing a live goose the feathers of parently the bridegroom.

The Margaret Williamson Memorial Hospital,

the first hospital for women established in China

was formally opened on the afternoon of the 3rd successfully carried on marks an era in the histhan lifty ladies were present at the pratty little hospital, which has been erected from plans by Mr. Gratton in a pleasant situation on the French Sikawei Road, and in addition therewere in attendance several foreign gentlemen and a few Chinese, mostly mar aring connected with the Kiangman A smal. The building, which is a very sub-antial brick edifice, of pleasing appearance, with sufficiently with a few wards for private patients; but it is to be devoted temporarily to the general paruoses of a hospital for women. It is hoped, however, Union Mission, will be enabled to erect a separate building to contain the general wards, as well as a proper operating room, and devote the present building to its original objects. For the present, however, the house has been very well adapted to serve all the purposes of a woman's hospital. On the upper floor are one large and one smaller ward, each containing several beds for general patients; and in addi-The nurse's room, bath rooms, etc., complete the ground floor, one large room is devoted to the hangs a portrait of Mrs. Markaret Williamson wicket into the dispensary to Miss McKechnie, make up the prescriptions, and then, after obtaining their medicines, leave the building by ment is also on this floor. Apart from the main building is a substantial European-built erection for the accommodation of the Chinese the nurses students, and servants of the establishand study for the Chinese female students of Mr. Francis-Well, I can only say this is the merits of the case, as he thought, with the medicine and nursing whose training will form an important part of Dr. Reifsnyder's work, a where patients will be thoroughly cleansed and reclothed before being admitted as inmates of the hospital and a room for cases of infectious disease. Throughout, the arrangements for maintaining cleanliness and securing as far as possible the comforts of the inmates are excellent. The institution is under the superintendence of Miss M. A. Burnett, the head of the Woman's Union Mission; the physician is, of course, Dr. Reifenyder; the visiting physician is Dr. H. W. Boone, and the head nurse is Miss MacKechnie. The Committee is composed of Miss Reifsnyder, M.D. (Secretary), Miss Burnett (Treasurer), Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Wetmere, Mrs. Low and Dr. Jamieson. The visitors assembled in the reception-room or chapel, which was decked for the occasion with the American and Chinese flags, between which hung' the portrait of Mrs. Margarot Williamson, decorated below with a the court charged by Inspector Swanston with bunch of daisies amidst sprigs of evergreen. On by the Rev. Dr. Gulick, the Right Rev. Bishop Boone, D.D., took the chair. After several speeches had been made the ladies and contlemen proceeded to view the building, the nature of the arrangements for the comfort and cure of patients being fully explained to enquirers by Dr. Reifsnyder and Miss McKechnie. Several Chinese women were present on whom Dr. Reifanyder had performed successful operations.

TIENTSIN.

Sir Ropert Hart's appointment as British Minister is no longer a diplomatic secret. Li Chung-t'ang has sent in his formal protest against the British occupation of Port Hamilton. You may safely rely upon it that the protest is formal and nothing more, and made for a definite purpose. The the islands was probably arranged with Kerea through Mr. Aston, acting under the guidance went some weeks ago in the two cruisers of Admiral Ting have been boasting that they hauled down the British flag there, and showed by their talk that their present masters did not approve of its being in British hands. A good story is current that last year Li Hung-chang mentioned to a foreign Minister Plenipotentiary that Greet Britain should never have Port Humilton for she already possessed enough smuggling stations in Hongkong, without getting another on the coast of China |- N. C. Daily News Correspondent.

PEKING.

The Shen Pao publishes the following letter There is a rumour circulating that M. Patenôtre has given orders for a general cleaning up of the French Legation so that it may be in a state to receive the Minister at a moment's notice. In London people gauge war and peace by the state of Consols, but in this city of the Son of Heaven the condition of Legations goes a good way to assure the minds of the Pekingese. The Chinese think peace is certain. The Chine.e Government held out stoutly against three articles out of the ten presented by the French for ratification. Matters looked a little critical. and people began to speculate whether there would be peace after all. Sir Robert Hart,

instructions of his Government, is negotiating favourably. It will not be long before the treaties of peace are finally signed. Two weeks ago H. E. Enomotto, Japanese Minister, gave a grand dinner party, which was attended by the various Ministers and well-known residents. There were also many ladies present. Chinese fire-works were burnt for the amuse-

however, came to the rescue and arranged the

French Government consented to make some

affair by telegraphing direct to Paris.

ment of the guesta who had a very enjoyable England has taken Port Hamilton, and the Chinese Government are going to protest. They believe they lost Annam because they were dilatory in driving away the French from the outset, so the little business of the island in the Korean sea will be the next matternor interest after the peace with France is settled. It is reported that the Chinese Government will appoint Consuls in Saigon, Hanoi, and

other Annamese towns for the protection of Chinese merchants. The new Belgian Minister has arrived and exchanged calls with the Tsung-li Yamen .- N

THE NEW DOMINION.

A regular provincial administration has been Kansu, and the Tartar General have now after Swanston made for the scene of the affair with- contract was not determined otherwise than fathers or grandfathers did or in other cases as in the two Loo, as the majority of these places

with by Consuls appointed by Russia to resille at Kashgar, Ili, &c. To facilitate intercourse linguists are to be provided; and a school, like the Tung Wen Kwan, with rules similar to those in force at Canton and Tignitain; is! too be established at Wu-lu-mu-chi. Bright and clever students are to be chosen from the towns, to study English and Russian. The Tanng Li Yamen is to be asked to provide teachers of English and Russian. Thus the various Yamens in important affairs will have competent interpreters, to the mutual benefit of China and Anssia. —Communicated to Shanghai Curier.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

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CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. 9th June, 1885, at 4 r.m.

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The Barometer has risen in the North and fallen slight ly over Luxon. The temperature has risen. Overcast weather prevalls. The Mazila Lind line is interrupted. W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 10th June, 1885.

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W. DOBERCK. Hongkong Observatory, 10th June, 1885.

NEWS FOR THE FRENCH MAIL.

LATEST TELEGRAMS. London, 3rd Juge. The result of the Derby was :--Paradox

Royal Hampton PEKING, 30th May. The Treaty between France and China is now in a fair way of being settled, and it is hoped that a day for signing the instrument will be appointed shortly.

TIENTSIN, 29th May. ing the Treaty between France and China, but | dealy gained for itself a most unenviage noteit is hoped that a settlement will not be long | risty. The crop of murders in the colony has

Loungy Mr Fano.

negotiations between the English and Cassian been reached by the law. This case seems likel Governments will probably be prolouged. owing to Frerch obstruction in Egypt, the are not known to the police or the relatives devicuation of the country by the British forces of the deceased; and at present there is no clue to may purhaps be rendered impossible. treaty with the Robel chief Lamo and has de- Lour children, in his family boat, on the same manifed that the Sultan of Zanzibar shall cease I swamp where the last murder occurred. The

article disclaiming German designs on Zanziber. | boot and that the boutman dead with two wounds but hopes that England will induce the Sultan on the left breast just below the nipple, and his to desist from [hostilities against the Rebel" The Rebels have occupied Korti.

LONDON, 6th June. The Captain and orew of the steamer Tower. recked off Usbant, were saved. General Sir Peter Lumsden ridicules the proosed arb bration between England and Russia. The result of the Oaks was as follows :---Cipollina

LONDON, 8th June. General Lumsden has arrived in London and met with an enthusiastic reception. At a Cabinet Council held yesterday there was no decision taken respecting the Coercian (Crimes) Act.

THE CONCLUSION OF PEACE BE-TWEEEN FRANCE AND CHINA. [Special Telegram to the "Hongkong DAILY PRESS."

SHANGRAL, 9th June. The Franco-Chinese Treaty has been signed. His Excellency the Governor has received an official telegram stating that the France-Chinese Treaty was signed at Tientsin on the 9th inst. Private telegrams have been received stating that peace has been signed, and that the shipment of rice will be resumed.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE "HONGRONG DAILY PRESS."]

AMOY, 4th June. The Chinese Government lighthouse tender Feiko, Captain Booth, has been released by the French and arrived here from the Pescadores this morning.

THE CONVENTION BETWEEN JAPAN AND CHINA.

The following official translation of the Convention between Japan and China in connection with the disturbances in Korea in December, 1884, is published in the Yokohama papers:— NOTIFICATION, No. 3, DAIJO KWAN.

In connection with the disturbances in Soul. Cores, in December, 1884, notice is hereby given that the following agreement has been made and entered into between the Imperial Governments of China and Japan; and a communication, hereto appended, has been forwarded by the former to His Imperial Japan see Majesty's Government. (Signed) PRINCE SANJO SANETOMI,

Piimo Ministar. COUNT INQUIE KAORU, Ministor for Foreign Affairs.

May 27th, 1885. CONVENTEDS Ito. Ambassador -Extraordinary of the Great Empire of Japan. Minister of St. parial Household, First Class of a m of the Rising Sun and Count of the Empi-Li. Special Plenipotentiary of

Empire of C Grand Guardian of the Heir ior Grand Secretary of State. Superintendent of the North Son Trade, Presidant of the Board of War, Vieuroy of Chihli and Count Shiriu ki of the First Rank. In obsdience to the decrees which each of them respectively is bound to obey, after correrence hald have agreed upon a convention with a view to proserving and promoting friendly relations (batween the two Great Empires) the articles of which are set down in order as follow:— that side from the shoulder. There, were no

It is hereby agreed that China shall withdraw her troops now stationed in Korea and that Japan marks in the mud about the boat, but only shall withdraw hers stationed therein for the pro- one he could swear to be a footprint, and tection of ber legation. The specific term for that he measured, and found to be 10 inches effecting the same shall be four months commenc-ing from the date of the signing and sealing of the date of the signing and sealing of the open of the open of the post. This this convention within which term they shall respecially accomplish the withdrawal of the whole clue to the matter. He might say, however, that number of each of their troops, in order to avoid from the position the body lay in, and the coneffectively any complications between the respect struction of the book it would be impossible that tive countries; the Chinese troops shall embark be could have been shot as he was had he been from Masau-Po and the Japanese from the port lying down as described. The said respective Powers mutually agree to

invite the King of Korea to just ruct and drill a sufficient armed force that she may herself assure her public security and invite him to gage into his service an officer of officers from am est those of a third Power, who shall be entrusted with the instruction of the said force. The respective hai Mixed Court on the 29th May, the conduct the intention of the English government was H.M.S. Espiegle, which was sent from Austhey shall give, each to the other, previous found to be in possession of two libin runners' occupation of the islands as a British navel sta- the China squadron. The Wild Swam is a screw notice in writing, of their intention so to do, badges and one likin runner's coat, while one tion. and that after the matter is settled, they shall of them was recognised as an old thief who had Sir Harry Parkes may possibly have suggested withdraw their troops and not further station served two months in the chain gang. The police to his government the wisdom of securing a them there.

month, of the 18th year of Meiji (Japane.e Settlement; but as there was no direct evidence mendation to be carried into effect except in a The 4th day of the 3rd moon of the 11th year of Kocho (Chinese Calendar.)

(Signed and Sealed) " ITO. Empire of Japan, &c., &c., &c. (Signed and Sealed) - Empire of China, &c., &c., &c.

THE OFFICIAL DESPATCH.

take myself to issue an official despite

primanding them.

military laws of the Chinese Empire.

To His Excellency Count Iro.

the Order of the Rising Sun.

Tai Kok Tsai, the scan of the marder of beatwomen about a fortnight ago, has now witnessed another crime of a similar character, and Advices from Poking are to the effect that this unimportant little village on the Chise reral points of difference to a wrisen respect, ness border, to the west of Yauma'i. has sud-

for a considerable time past been a lamintabl barr on, and it is a matter for much regret A. Telegram from St. Peter bury store that that the criminals have not, for along time par to prove no exception to the rule, as the por-Mr. Chamberlain at Birmingham stated that petrafors of the deed made their escaps: they lead to their discovery. The victim is a bootman The German Government has concluded a who had retired to rest with his wife and tide, had fallen, and the base lay high and dry

on he mud, so that it could be appropriated an a The North German Gazette publishes an sides. At about midnight two men entered the wife and children awake only to see the forms to see their faces, and the wife dared not follow known by the authorities, nor the murderers brought to instice.

> An inquest was opened on the body at the Mortuary on the 5th instant, before the Coroner, Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, and a jury composed of Massrs J. Kaisar, J. E. Divid, and H. King Fong, when the following evidence was

> Lo Amun said she was the wife of Fung Chi Kwan, the deceased, who was 32 years of age. She lived with him in a boat at Tai Kok Taui On the 4th inst, at 8 p.m., the deceased, herself Tsui. She had four children, ranging in age family boat, and the deceased was a fisherman b profession, and had a junk which he sold three days before, after which he moved to anchor at Yaumsti, but the family boat was taken to Tai Kok Tsui on acon Thursday she was awakened by hearing her husband call out avah! as if in pain. ... As andu as she woke up she saw two men inside the boat under the mat awning and heard one of thom making use of a common filthy expression, immediately after which one of them fired a revolver. The two men were in the boat at the time the shot was fired and immediately they jumped out of the boat and ran away up the boach, on which the boat was lying. Her husband was shot on the left breast, and died at once. Witness remained by the body antil daylight, when she went to Yaumati Station and mude a report It was so dark that witness would not know either of the two men again who killed her husband and she had no idea who they were, but she be lieved that they were pirates. Her harband attempted to rise after giving fent to the exclamation of pain, but he was unable to do so. Witnoss believed a shot was first before she woke up but she did not hear it. Witness could not see whether both men were armed, but she saw a revolver. She was very frightened at the time. The junk her husband had formerly lived in was four chauncs, forty feet lang, and he had had to sell it on account of money defleuties, bourg anable to pay wages. Ho sold it for \$32, and he paid his man off, and the man got employmenton another junk. He had been in their service

two years and witness did not suspect him. Inspector Chomson ask of the witness how the deceased's jacket became torn on the left side. Watness said she could not say; the j zet was not torn when he want to sloop. She had lost no property, and could not in the least account for the attack. Inspector Thomson said the women fold him

her husband was first stabbed with a dagger, and The witness said she thought one of the wounds lookid like a dagger stab; she saw no dagger. in the bost that night: the rest of the money had been spent in olying debts.

Inspector Thomson stated the last witness made her report at Yaumati Police Station at 6.39 yesterday morning. He went to the swamp at I si Kok Tsui, which was then covered by the tide. The boat was a slipper-shaped sambearened the decreased the found the decreased body lying there on his back with two wounds on the left breast, and his jacket torn down on signs of a struggle about the hoat. There were

The inquest was then adjourned for a week.

DISGRACEFUL SCENE IN THE SHANGHAI MIXED COURT.

at first preferred a charge against the men of naval station in these waters; but the policy of Signed and sealed this 18th day of the 4th illegally exercising likin runners, rights in the that government would not permit the recomin support of this charge it was abandoned, and case of emergency, such as that which suddenly the men were simply charged with loitering. arose in the early part of April last, when as is The case was first heard on the 27th May, and usual in such cases, the recommendations of the was then adjourned for two days. On the 29th | naval and military authorities acquire great Ambassador Extraordinary of the Great Hame the Acting Magistrate, after putting one weight and are invariably adopted. We repeat or two questions to the presenter in a very we have the best authority for a full denial of off-hand manner, said he believed the man was the assertions and implications of the London only good thing ever obtained from our many been playing to full houses. Special Plenipotentiary of the Great lying, and he should discharge the prisoners. and China Express that the annexation of Port little colonial wars is that they have taught the The stamp revenue last month was \$12,121 Mr. Giles, who was sitting as Assessor, did not Hamilton was the result of a long premeditated English people geography; and we have little being a decrease of \$548 as compared with the tisfied at having their boots kept all the spring, object to the men being dismissed, but said they coheme originating with Sir Harry Parkes when doubt that the upshot of this Tonquin business corresponding month of 1884. THE OFFICIAL DESPATCH.

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County No. C. Daily News Correspondent.

Will profit to the same extent and no more, lency the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of the county of the county of the Governor has been pleased to recognize the county of Compire of Unita, Grand Guardian of the Heir them was a convicted thief. Huang, however, reason whatever to anticipate even a difference unless a far more liberal system of colonization iniso, provisionally Mr. Luis Marines as in Apparent, Senior Grand Secretary, of State, in the rudest manner, declined to listen to any- of opinion with Russia on the boundary question. is introduced and less obstacles are placed by charge of the Spanish Consulate at this port. Superintendent of the North Sea Trade. Pre- thing Mr. Giles had to say; and made use of If the truth could be known it would be that arbitrary, and ignorant officials in the way of sident of the Board of War. Viceroy of Chihli language to him of a most disrespectful kind, the Queen's representatives at Peking and Tokyo commercial enterprise in whatever quarter in the Gazette:—An Ordinance to amend Ordinance formed lately in the neighbourhood, have given and Count Shiku-ki of the First Rank, have the using the second person instead of the third, as were more startled by the news of the occupation augurated. honour to make the following communication :— is proper in Chinese, and saying repeatedly, of Port Hamilton by the British naval authori
As regards the fighting which took place b.— "What business is that of yours?" When Mr. ties than any one else, the Chinese and Korean especially as it affects the Colony of Hong-

tween our respective imperial troops at the Pa- Giles referred to one of the prisoners having governments not excepted. Japan Gazetta. lace of the King of Korea, on the occasion of the been a thief, Huang replied, "Don't you believe Korea's difficulties with regard to Port Hamil. attention to this narrative of the campaign in to bring down cargo salved from the Zafiro have by the French in her attempt to rush a disturbance in the capital of Korea, in the last a thief can report? Before you were a Vice- ton are almost amusing. She is unable either to Tonquin as eminently readable in itself, interest- disappeared. As there is no reason to believe quantity of spelter, fire-arms, and am-10th month, it was an affair that occurred er Gosaul you used to be an interpreter, bit nobedy offer any armed registance to the occupation of ing as describing with vigour and in good they have met with any accident, it is supposed munition into Tientsin. It will be very tirely remote from the conception of the respection of the respect tive governments, one for which I cannot but he wound up by saying, "I tell you again that diplomatic protest." What she most fears is to country and people hitherto almost unknown Mr. Ford, the Superintendent of the Hotanical the French cruisers appear to have searched only express the sentiments of my deepest regret. this matter has nothing whatever to do with be suspected of acquiescence; and insmuch as to the west, and valuable as providing a per and Afforestation Department, left for home such vescels as did not carry contraband of war. Holding in great importance the friendly re you foreigners; and he emphasised this remark the English government did not place itself in manent record of not only the actual occupation on the 5th instant by the steamer Lacries, on Our season is very late, and the weather relations happily existing from olden times between by rapping Mr. Giles sharply on the knuckles communication with her, the only course she of the successive steps, leave of absence. It is notified in the Gazette mains wonderfully cool. Not much shipping the respective countries, I have to say our ir- with the inky end of a pen which he hold in his could take was to lodge a complaint with Admiral missionary, filibustering, diplomatic, and bellicose, that Mr. A. B. Westland will fill the acting ap- lately. Two days ago, for a few hours, the port perial troops failed, at the last, to preserve care- hand. Mr. Giles knocked the pen out of his Dowell. This she has accordingly done through that ended in the present dead and alive state pointment. fulness in their course of action, though they Worship's hand, and angrily expostulated with Mr. Möllendorff, who—unless his own statement of things, in which this fertile country is as The Captain of the German ship Antares, but we have not heard that the Harbour-master were unavoidably forced, by the crisis of the him on his conduct; wherenpon the Magistrate, be untrustworthy—was sent to Nagasaki to find much at a standatill as if it were placed back which has arrived at Singapore, reports having has received the kids he is entitled to .- N. C. time, into fighting. I shall therefor - - beside himself with rage; jumped up and shout- the Admiral, and to make it quite clear that four centuries under the ban of a papal interdict. passed the British barque Charlotte, from Freeing out comething in Chinese deliberately struck Korea's silence is not to be mistaken for consent. New that all essentials with regard to the mantle, W.A., to Hongkong, in the Banca Mr. Giles on the shoulder with his open hand. As to the deposition of the wife of Hosa. Mr. Giles, who naturally appeared to find it very Shinno ke, a Japanese subject of the East against the omployment of Chinese labour The attention of many people in Hongkong different from what we are used to witness in others that your Excellency has forwarded to me, tion, hastily left the banch, overtarning a small, until it was taken possession of by Great Britain and capital in the country. No nationality is was attracted to a considerable blaze on the Kow- depth of winter- no tonnage in port !- The and obtain all the evidence bearing on the point son in Court. His Worship then directed that upon the notice of their superiors:

The above I beg to bring to your Excellency's several other police cases on the charge sheets for tempting to cross the Danks bar. Admiral the sea route as opposed to the river one. It is Lilly—went out for practice in naval taction Consul.-N. C. Daily Nows.

POOTUNG WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY.

An extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of this company was hold at Shanghai on the 27th May, at the offices of Messrs. Russell & Co., agents, Mr. G. H. Wheeler presided, and there were also present Messrs. C. Michaelsen and H. J. Such (directors), W. J. llarke, R. Telge, J. A. Baliard, K. Agthe, W. Kölling, T. R. Wheelook, V. D'O. Wintle, and A. C. Hunter, representing 1.182 votes. The CHAIRMAN said -There being a quorun present, I will call upon the Secretary to read the notice calling the meeting.

The notice having been road.

The CHAIRMAN said-Gentlemen, with referonce to the notice just read I have to state that your directors have been in treaty with the owners of the Tunkadoo property and have secured a firm offer of it for the sum of Tis. 55,000, less an amount of Tls. 2.500, to cover-cost of rapairs of the two men disa pearing. It was too dark and alterations which may be needed. After carefully considering the advantages to be gained them when they retreated up the shore. No in acquiring this whart and godown property to attempt at thisving was made, though there be worked in connection with our present where was a little money in the boat, and the deceased's | and godowns, the directors authorised the Azents wife states she was unaware of any dispute or to reply to the letter of the China and Japan querrel that her husband had with anyone, so Trading Company, Limited, that the matter that this tragedy, like the preciding one, is would be submitted to an extraordinary general under offer until 31st May, delivery to be taken 30th June next, one half of the purchase money in cash, and one half in shares of the Pootung Wharf and Godown Company. It is proposed to increase the Capital to Tls. 230,000 by the issue of 550 further shares of Tis. 100 each and to issue 275 preference shares (being part of the 550 new shares), and that the preference shares shall be guaranteed a dividend of at least 7 per cent. per sauam for a period of five and a half years from the lat July, 1885, after which they shall be exchanged for ordinary shares; and that the pay ment of such guaranteed dividends shall conand family were asleep in their beat at Tai Kok stitute the first charge upon the profit of the Company annually during the period named. In from 15 years to 18 months. The boat was a order that the shareholders may understand the exact footing on which the division of profits will be made during the five and a half years from the 1st July, 1885. I may explain it thus: residence to this family bout. The runk used When the total amount of profit for distribution in each year has been ascertained by Board, the amount required for payment of count of the typhoon sesson. About midnight guaranteed dividend upon the preference shares

will first be set aside then an amount will be appropriated for the payment of dividend unon the ordinary shares to an equal amount i.e., ? per cent. per annum, if the available profits are sufficient; and if, after payment of a dividend of per cent per anaum upon all the shares, both preferential and ordinary, a further sum should remain over for distribution, this will be added to the dividend upon both classes of shares on equal terms; the Board of course having power. after paying the guaranteed dividend, to make the necessary provision for the repairs, and for the depreciation of the property. In the event of the resolutions being passed, the Board will advertise that applications for the preferenceshares should be sent in (according to a form given) to the agents of the company not later than on Saarday, the 20th June, 1885. After which they will be submitted to the Board of Directors who will thereupon allot the shares at their discretion. giving preference to the present shareholders of the company. If any gentleman has any ques-

No questions were asked. The Chairman—As there are he questions to be asked I will propose the first resolution— "That the Capital of the Company beincreased to Tagls 239,000 by the issue of 550 further shares of Taels 100 each; and that the purchase of the Tunkadoo property by the Board on such sanctioned a sapproved." Mr. MICHAGLER seconded the resolution, and

tions to ask. I shall be pleased to snewer them.

it-was carried unanimonsly. The CHAIRMAN-I propose the second resolution-" That in order to provide the necessary funds for the purchase of the said Tunkadoo proparty the Board is horeby authorised to issue 275 already authorized) and that the said preference shares shall be guaranteed dividends of at least 7 There was 36 remaining from the sale of the jank per cent, perannum for aperiod of five and a half years from the 1st July, 1885, after which date they shall be exchanged for ordinary shares; and that the payments of such guaranteed dividends shall constitute a first charge upon the profit of the Company annually during the said period." Mr. Such seconded the resolution, and it was adopted nem con.

The CRIBMIN-I think, gentlemen, that constitutes the business of the meeting.' Mr. WHEELOCK proposed a vote of thanks to the Chairman, and the meeting separated .-N. C. Daily News.

THE ANNEXATION OF PORT HAMILTON.

The London & China Express of April 10th contains an article entitled "The annexation of Port Hamilton" in which the suggestion for the to the anneration.

The occupation of Port Hamilton by the ships of the British squadron did not take place until tons of coal and a quantity of heavy ammunition, April 16th; and the resolution was dictated by sto., were taken out and it is confidently believed the necessities of a probable war with Russia she will go in Dock all right to-morrow (31st) We can state upon unquestionable authority that about 8 s.m. She will have to remain in Dock An extraordinary scene occurred at the Shang- until the ships had arrived in Port Hamilton until the next spring tides. of the magistrate fairly eclipsing anything which unknown to the Queen's ministers at Peking tralia to reinforce the squadron on this station, heaceforth not to send any of their own officers to has been seen here since the Court was establish and Tokyo; nor had they any reason to believe left Singapore on the 1st instant for Davenport Korsa for the purpose of giving said instruction. ed. The case out of which the occurrence arose that such a step was in contemplation; and we vid the Suez Canal. The Straits Times learns In case any disturbance of a grave nature was a petty charge of loitering for a felonious have further excellent authority for assuming that in addition to the Mercury and Wild Swan, occurring in Korea, which necessitates the re- purpose, brought against three men by a Chinese that no negotiations of any kind were, as has which are on the way out from home, the steel spacing countries or either of them to send clerk in the employ of Mr. Cory. The three been stated elsewhere, entered into with the troops to Kores, it is hereby understood that men, when taken to the police-station, were Chineseor Koreangovernments prior to theactual has been detached from the Pacific to reinforce

-Japan Mail.

hearing; but Captain McEuon declined to bring Shufeldt visited Port Hamilton in the U.S.S. a general principle that when trade is once on the 3rd instant. The manceuvres proved [SEAL] - the prisoners forward in the absence of Mr. Wachusett, and in the course of his interesting diverted into one channel, as long as safe, it will very interesting and were executed with next-Giles, and directed the police to take them back generals on the result of his observations, continue to flow in that channel, although there ness and precision, only one trifling mistake be-Ambassedor Extraordinary of the Great to the different stations. The assault committed says that the group of islands attracted are easier and more direct, though loss secure; ing made in the reading of the signals during Empire of Japan. Minister of State and by the magistrate on Mr. Gil was then entered the fattention of the English naval and means of communication at hand. "Unfortunately, the whole afternoon. of the Imporial Household, First Class of on the cl. rge-sheet. The matter will of bourse therities as early as 1845, and, at the time the it is this easy and more direct channel that the In the case of the beatwoman who was found be taken serious notice of, and we can searcely Admiral wrote, had been twice surveyed. In his French have destroyed, the proof being that, strangled to death in her boat at Tai-kok-tsui The 4th day of the 3rd moon of the 11th year doubt that the British authorities will insist on opinion the place merited attention as a naval with the exception of commissariat stores, the about a fortnight ago, the Coroner's jury rathe removal from office of a magistrate who, depot, and he mentions that the holding ground whole, tradal movement of Tonquin has been turned a verdict on the 5th instant against after constantly proving himself unjust and in- in the harbour is excellent, and that although stendily retrogade since 1880. If this is to be some person or persons unknown. No further competent, has wound up by disgracing the there is a rise of eleven feet tide it produces no recovered, the country to become successful as a disclosures have come to light in the matter, Bench and shamefully insulting a British Vice- perceptible current. Admiral Shufeldt's descrip- Colony should welcome without restriction capi- though Inspector. Thomson has endeavoured by

> tain, that almost depends for existence upon and good business common sense its prosperity and well-known residents took their departure. her naval strength. He says that the entrances in the future must still depend. to the port are at right angles to the basin. Mr. Scott, who has no preconceived notions on Warsh, Colonial Sporatory; Captain T. T. Benthus forming a land-locked harbour espable of this subject, tells us of the Chinese agents, as is ming, the genial Commoders of the Hongkong,

bour between them." mate, and is therefore well, adapted for a one could imagine himself reading a description 31st May, 1895, as supplied by the respective sanitarium, its sequisition consequently sup- of a town, not the scene of a flourishing and an banks, are published in the Gazette:plying what might in war time prove a serious lactive commerce three brief years since, but of void in the British naval arrangements in this some Genoese or Venetian trading ports in wropped in profound mystery. There is much meeting of the shareholders. The property is Shufeldt states that in addition to their position bild in rains by the Tark centaries ago. Despects to form that the track will represent the contaries ago. Despects the contaries ago. the fact that the islands separate both at the cribing Nam-dinh, the centre of a magnificent | Adstralia, and China northern and southern points, must give a con- rice growing country, and close to the chief silk stant current of cool breezes in the summer, and district, he tells us, "There are several very fine Banking Corporation as there are no other openings the basin is black marble paved streets in it, one at least protected during winter from the cold north- running the length of the town and superior to east and north-west winds. "We." he writes, any in Hanci. It was formerly a great resort the lat February, although we came in from sea and spacious houses now remaining show that reasons have been stated as the cause of her comin a very cold north-east storm of snow-squalls." they must have been men of wealth. Many of mitting the rash act. An inquest was held on ton the population of the islands was estimated confiscated, and there unfortunately remain but when the evidence given was to the effect that at about two thousand persons, who lived few of the men who formerly made the pro- she had suffered a great deal from a whitlow, in four distinct villages, and it is pro- sperity of the town." Tapping the trade of bable the number of inhabitants is still about Yunnan, forsooth! was there ever seen a better

capable of cultivation, but what there is of it is an eggaf animals of any kind for food were observed, al- China, where the natives have the same tastes and though both cattle and sheep ought to thrive on habits, he argues that when native restrictions sideration, appears to be rather source, but amounting to a paltry £300,000 sterling per an- Worship, feld-de se. Admiral Shufeldt remarks that this want can I num. will total up to some twelve times that amount; easily be met by a suitable condensing apparatus. and Mr. Scott, too, thinks that with the intro-He adds that's few gardeners, and a stock of duction of capital, another improvement in proeattle imported from California on Japan, would duce, there is no solid reason why this figure | was struck by lightning. The damage done soon furnish all the vegetables and beef required should not be reached. Of the goods imported was slight, being confined to a few of the for a naval station. The Admiral finally closes 34 per cent. are English cottons and yarns, im- coping stones, and fortunately no one was this interesting report by saying that one is ported via Hongkong, and of all the other hart. We have heard of no particular damage impressed with the beauty of Nan-Hoo even in imports barely three per cent. goes into Ton- caused by the squalls or the floods of rain which winter, and fancies how reluctantly he would quin in any other way. As regards exports descended, but there has been a fatality attendleave it for the intense heat and sickly climate of the coast of China during the summer rice, which fetches a higher price than the mishap-probably endeavouring to cross a swolmonths."—Hingo Neros.

steamer Agnes has just laid a submarine cable gambier came simost exclusively here to be made rush of water. An Indian constable on the hillbetween Port Hamilton and the North Saddle. and Mr. Judd: the superintendent of the E. E. A. and C. Telegraph Co. at Shanghai, has gone down to the North Saddle to superintend its connection with the Eastern Co.'s cable between As showing the existence of a veritable Yun- of the stream at Lap Sap Wan, and was in Hongkong and Shanghai.

MOVEMENTS OF THE BRITISH AND RUSSIAN MEN OF WAR.

From the Narasaki Express we learn that H.I.R.M.'s ironaled frigate Viadimir Monomak, flag-ship of Admiral Crown, left Yokohama on the 20th May, and came down, through the Canton, it is questionable whether it will ever fell during the twenty-four hours up to 10 am. terms as the Board may think fit be hereby Inland Sea, as far as Shimonoseki, where she stopped to put ashore her Pilot, Captain Fletcher. Her destination after leaving Shimonoseki was unknown. At date of latest advices from Yokokama the 25th, the cruisers ! Crayser, Opritchnik, and Rasboinik, and the the French might easily supply. At present the transport Moskwa were in harbour. It is reported the ironclad Minin has been thoroughly are of unequal size, rendering the production dispute between the Tea Guild and foreign merrepaired at Batavia, and is daily expected to re- of fine webs an impossibility. Already workmen chants was still unsettled, and business had not

The Nagasaki Express gives the following

information concerning the movements of the ships of the British squadron :- Her Britannie Majesty's gunboat Firebrand left Nagasiki for Port Hamilton on the 23rd May and returned again on the 25th. The Thales also arrived from Port Hamilton on the 27th. 'On the 26th the Supphire and Daring arrived from Yokohama, and the Againsmnon arrived from the same port the following morning. After cosling, the Sarrhire left the same afternoon. and the Daring took her departure on the 28th. The former vessel is reported to have gone to Shimonoseki for the purpose of meeting Mr. W. G. Acton and taking him to Korea, on matters connected with the Port Hamilton business; and the latter vessel went to Port Hamilton direct. The Agamemnon came down for the purpose of being docked, as we believe the Nagasaki Dock is the only one east of the Sues- willing enough to part with it. Permission must sent. Courier. occupation of the islands as a British naval sta- Canal large enough in every respect to take her be had from France, they suggested conditions . A certain Li Chan-kuei, of Shanghai, has tion in the north China see is attributed to the in. It was originally intended to Dock her on of cultivation arranged, naturalization was decissued an offensive caricature which is largely late Sir Harry Parkes, who is further credited this morning's tide (30th May), but et the last sirable,—the result being that the intended sold in Peking. It represents a scaly monster, moment it was discovered that she was drawing about ten inches too much water, and would require to be lightened to that extent. Some 400

mand of Commander John S. Hallifax. REVIEW.

composite aloop of 8 guns, and under the com-

Fisher Unwin.

conditions of peace are settled, the first thing Straits, which vessel desired to be reported all -Port Hamilton attracted very little, if any to be done should be to take off the restrictions | well.

- I find in them, on perusal, that in the Korean table as he stepped down. Superintenuent Mc. recently. In fact there is no exaggeration in more interested in this than the French them. loon side on the night of the 6th instant. The weather is getting, more pleasant of late, but capital Chinese soldiers broke is houses of East, who was seated by the side of the bench saying that many of us never heard it even selves; that is to say, if their original inten- cause was the destruction by fire of a stack of pretty heavy blows with dust are almost daily Japanese, stole property and took .. lives of watching the case on behalf of the Police, at once named, much less seriously discussed. But at tion of tapping the Yunnan trade, which was grass near the Naval Dockyard. The amount guests. Japanese subjects. I have not at hand any sub- informed the Magistrate through the interpreter the same time the harbour has long been studied the real object of the campaign of last year, is of damage was but trifling. stantial evidence on our side and shall the stand our time is passed in the usual quiet style. The Oopack, with the new season's ten from and our time is passed in the usual quiet style. despatch an official to investigate the matter too apparent to escape the attention of any per- them its advantages have frequently been pressed merchants of Hongkong trading with the Gulf Hankow, arrived at Singapore on the 1st June. At noon on the 19th instant part of the comports and with Yunnan vid Manhao are deeply having accomplished the distance from Woosung munity assembled to witness and celebrate the in question. Should I find proof that any soldier the three prisoners should be detained at the From an official publication of the United interested, for there is good reason to believe in seven days eighteen hours. The Glengarry, wedding of one of our missionary friends. of any of our camps was in the streets on that Mixed Court, and Captain McEnen submitted to States Government, we find that so far back as that if the trade is once diverted (as we think which arrived at Singapore on the night of the Three days later the happy couple chartered day, creating trouble and murdering and robbing this, only informing the Magistrate that he the year 1867, Admiral—then Commander—it is) down the West River, it will be 30th May, accomplished the distance in seven a new Pea-boat, light, staunch and strong, Japanese subjects, I shall not fail to inflict upon should hold him responsible for the production Shufeldt, addressed a report upon the Nan- monopolized by Canton guilds, instead of by the days four hours.

tion of the harbour is much more minute than tal and labour, and machinery from whatever every means in his power to unravel the mysany hitherto published, and distinctly proves [quarter it comes; but more especially the assist. | tery. what a valuable acquisition Port Hamilton suce of the Chinese who for centuries have been By the O. and O. steamer Oceanic, which left or may easily become to a power like Great Bri- the mainstay of the country, and on whose industry the 9th inst. for San Francisco, several prominent

containing a navy, while the shelving shores well known, that "they are the great traffickers. Conton, and Masso Steamboat Co.'s fleet; and and smooth water offer every opportunity for the bankers, usurers, and agents for Hongkong Mr. J. S Brower, the Government Marine Surrepairs, &c. The same writer also states that in and Canton houses. The principal trade is in veyor, who will be missed almost as much in their physical construction the islands form a silk and rice, and they usually mingle in their musical circles as in his official capacity. To large natural fort, with nearly perpendicular lordly way with the Tonquinose only to do busi- each and all wis wish a pleasant heliday. sides towards the sea of from one hundred to ness. Round about the big merchants however. The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Telamon two hundred feet high, afterwards rising to group the poorer Chinamen, who have come to which arrived on the 9th inst. from home, is the peaks of from six hundred to eight hundred feet, make their fortunes, and who start as clarks or litest acquisition to this popular line. She is and then gradually sloping inwards towards the overseers, and sometimes as artisans, occasionally built on the same general principles as the other basin in the centre. Outside the water is very even as simple coolies. The mandarine always vessels of the Company's fleet, but with developdeep and affords no anchorage, except on the found them the most laborious and most able ments and improvements. She is a twelve knot northern face, where the hills are more sloping. workmen, and the few that have ventured to stay | boat, and if necessary can be driven, at a some-"In a military point of view," writes the Ad- under French release mainly employed as contract what higher rate of speed. She has good acmiral emphatically, "if an insular post can be tors and purveyors. Hanci will not be really commedation for passengers, the seleon and made inaccessible to an enemy, this certainly pre- prosperous again till more Chinese come to settle cab as being comfortable and roomy and pleasant-sents the most favourable qualifications. The there." It is, however, not only at Hanoi but all ly fitted up. She was launched on the 16th islands are, in fact, two Gibraltars on a small over Tonquin, wherever the Chinese had trading March last. scale, facing each other and guarding the har- stations, that the same disastrons nonsequences of The following returns of the average amount the war are seen. When reading Mr. Scott's dos. of Bank notes in circulation and of specie in re-Port Hamilton apparently enjoys a fine coli- cription of the reinci condition of such places, carve in Hengkong, during the month ending found the thermometer at 39 deg. Fabr. on of the Chinese merchants, and the substantial ing herself. She was a second wife, and various

the same. Only two-fifths of the land is example of killing the goose that laid the goldthe principal crops of the islanders, who ske out | foreign trade in 1880 as amounting to £300,000 a subsistance upon these careals and fish. No sterling: and basing his conclusions on Cochin-

Hongkong is a good customer for Tonquin ing the latter. A Chinawoman through some Sairon article, but this trade was scotched by the len stream on the hillside above Lap Sap Wan. The Courier understands that the telegraph difficulty of obtaining licenses to export. False was carried off her feet by the strength of the into dyes and medicine. In 1880 two thousand side saw her body being carried down by the tons were sent here at £4 per ton. In exports tumultuous stream, but not being able to get Hongkong again leads off with 79, per cont. at her in time, he gave a shout to a European against the 16 per cent, of Saigon, chiefly silk. constable lower down, who ran to the lower part nan trade, 16 per cent. of the whole exports came time to intercept her. He was too late to from Yunnan, and consisted chiefly of tim much | 53ve her life, however, for when he got of which was used in Tonquin, the remainder her ashore, sho was quite dead. There were a

importance, native oplum, tea, and medicines, rently caused by contact with rocks in the bed The imports into Yunnan are salt, cotton, and the stream. An inquest was opened on the matches, but the whole trade has ceased since the woman's body at the Mortuary in the after-French occupation, and now that it has returned noon, and was adjourned for the production of a to its most ancient route vid the West River of material witness. The amount of rain which be again revived. The most favourable item to France, we think is that of Tonquinese silk. It is an industry still in its infancy. Serioulture "is likely to develop enormously under skilled management, and this

cocoons are badly reeled off, and the threads turn and join the squadron under Admiral have been introduced from Canton, and probably some of the Lyons silk firms will send out experienced agents. The silk trade is almost sutirely with Saigon, and will doubtless continue to flow in the same direction. In 1880 this industry represented a value of 1,500,000 france. has received from the Chinese Government a star and it is destined to increase to any required of the third grade of the Order of the Shuang extent." really substantial can be done with the of the Waverley, with the exception of Captain

"dog in the manger" Colonial policy of the Danielsen, have taken service with the French French. French capitalists do not seem disposed Mr. Parry, chief officer, being placed in charge to come forward themselves; nor will their of the Waverley. Captain Danielsen is still a Government permit others than French, unless prisoner. planter withdrew, a wiser and a sadder man. Further comment is useless. The experience shooting, while in its claws it holds another of the whole history of colonization tells directly foreigner, whom it is preparing to devour. In against such short-sighted policy. To be a suc- the course of a metrical description, which is apcess, it must hold out a free welcome to all or fail pended, it is stated that the greature lives en-

-and still in the face of these facts the French say that we slander them when we hint that they do not know how to colonise. Again, circum-HONGKONG.

News was received here on the 9th instant of

the signature of the treaty between France and

China at Tientsin: Two cases of homicide have occurred during the week. On the night of the settled but the Treaty is still unsigned, and is 4th instant a boatman was murdered at Tai- said to be not yet drawn up. The terms are kok-taui, the village where a weman was mur- stated to be on the lines of the Fournier Condered a fortnight before, and on the 9th instant | vention, expressed more plainly and explicitly. a man was killed by four others at the village of No mention is made of railways in connection Wong-nei-cheong, owing to a quarrel about a with it. woman. A heavy thunderstorm passed over the France and Tongking: A Narrative of The Camp colony on the 8th instant, by which some slight paign of 1884, and the Occupation of Further damage was done. The amount of rain that not only short food, but no wheatstraw for straw-India. By James George Scott (Shway fell was over seven inches. Several well-known braid. Large quantities of grain are being sent YOE). With Map and Plans. London: T. residents have lett the colony during the week, north into Mongolia, and the fear of famine may including the Hon, W. H. Marsh, Colonial Se-A LIVING political economist tells us that the cretary. The Mescotte Opera Company have terms as much as anything else. The bostmen

> The following Ordinances are proclaimed in 8 of 1882, an Ordinance to amend Ordinance 14 the General some trouble. Several evil-doors,

kong, we take this opportunity of directing We hear that two janks which were chartered that the steamer Waverley has been taken

all on leave of absence, namely, the Hon. W. H.

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On the 6th instant a Chinawomio, living in Queen's-road West committed suicide by hang-When Admiral Shufeldt visited Port Hamil- them fled, others had their houses and goods the body at the Mortnery on the 8th instant, which caused her to be low in spirits, and which was surmised to have been the cause of her act of self destruction. -The jury at first announced their decision in favour of a verdict of suicide. very fertile, the geological formation of the M. Kergaradec, a great authority on this sub- while in a state of unsound mind, but the islands being volcanic. Wheat and millet are ject, estimates the whole tradal movement of the Coroner said that such a verdict was altogether inconsistent with the evidence, which disclosed no mental aberration. The jury were still of the same opinion as what the verdict should be until Mr. Wodehouse recalled the chief witness, whenthe grassy hill-sides. Water, an important con- on trade disappear the imports alone, instead of they returned the variet suggested by His

During a heavy thunderstorm which passed over the colony on the morning of the 8th instant, one corner of the Gap Police Station going to Hongkong. The other ftems are of no number of cuts about her head and body, appron the 8th instant was 7.41 inches.

CHINA.

FOOOHOW.According to latest advices from Foochow the been commenced.

SHANGHAI. We understand that Mr. Streich, interpreted to the German Consulate-General at Shanghai. Lung, or Double Dragon.

ontside this huckstering, nothing We hear on good authority that all the officers

under most veratious restrictions, to come for- The steamer Nagoya Maru was stopped by ward and invest. The present policy seems to keep ball from the French cruiser and everhauled. foreigners out as much as possible. At least The shot passed within 100 feet of her. The one Englishman, Mr. Spott informs us, endos- boarding officer asserted that they had first fired voured to settle in the country and start a sugar | blank cartridge, but the officers and passengers plantation. The French civil officers would not who were looking out on board, saw no signals hear of his buying land, though the natives were of any kind until the iron summons was rudely

at which some grotesque-looking foreigners are tirely on pigs, cows, horses, and foreign barbarians. An imbecile-looking Chinaman, armed with two swords, is dancing stiffly in the foreground. The apparent object of the whole production is to insult foreigners.-N. C. Daily

- TIENTSIN.

The Franco-Chinese Question is I believe.

Owing to there having been no rain this spring it is feared there will be no props; which means have caused the Chinese to agree to the French who have been pressed into the rice-transport service for Tungchow are becoming very dissawith little or no allowance made to them on ac-

NEWCHWANG.

The soldiers in the new camps that have been

was actually without a steamer or sailing vessel. Daily News Correspondent. Business is very dull at the moment, and the harbour offered a sight on several occasions little

There are no events of importance to record.

misorable (P) in the local offices, and in everythe offender severe punishment according to the of the men whenever the higher authorities, Con- Hoo Islands" to Admiral Bell, who, it will be re- Macao and Heungshan men now resident in | Four of the launches belonging to the auxil- way fitted for the intended, voyage, and left I sular or Chinese, might require it. There were membered, was subsequently drowned while at. Hongkong, who have long hereditary interest in lisry flotilla—the Victoria, Hilda, Daisy, and us smidst greeting, tears and waving hand.

There is a great number of soldiers gathered around this place, and the discipline kept over them does not show a lack of strong will in the least on the part of their commander; some of them a short time ago commenced looting native houses, ill-treating the females and doing all WHARP and TSIM-TSA-TSUI at the following possible sort of mischief, but as soon as the re- hours :- This Time Table will take effect from port of it had reached head-quarters, their heads the 15th April. 1885. were to be seen sticking up in small cases ou ten feet high poles planted in the middle of the road, performed. The ruffians who molested one of the missionaries have been caught and sentenced to death; the interested gentleman, of course, prayed the authorities for a less severa sentence, whereupon they received five hundred blows each and the cangue for some time. -- Courier Correspondent.

KOREA A correspondent, writing from Chefoo, says: -"The terms settled for a modus vivendi in Korea, although they have met the points of immediate issue, are hardly adequate with the important embassy of Count Ito, unless it was necessary to explain, by some one high in the confidence of the Mikado, certain things which, to except under unavoidable circumstances. In could not be conveyed otherwise, and which in- case of stress of weather; dus notice will be directly influenced China to close the incident given of any stoppages. of last December. Japan appears to have bettered her position in one thing only: her right to send troops to Korea has now been recognised by the Chinese. This China had not acknowledged before, and what makes the recognition more important is that it places Japan's right on an equality with that of China. At the same time. Japan has acknowledged China's right to send troops to the peninsula—which before had been questioned—so that China has settled this point in her favour. It would have been better had both Powers declared that they have no right to send troops into the territory of a neighbouring independent sovereign. And it is doubtful whether other Powers who have treaties with Koroa will see with plea-

sure, or even without concern, this sword of Damocles hanging over the peninsala, with the contingency that it may interfere with the observance of their treaties; and that all this which is at variance with Korea's independent sovereignty has been legitimized. Such an arrangement cannot be called final. It looks more like the beginning of a dangerous policy which will prevent either Power from demanding that the other shall define its relations with Korea except in the sense of vassalage. No doubt Count Ito, n-the-actual situation of affairs, thought it better to defer the settlement of these rolutions. but this was the sole point worthy of arrange ment, as it would have decided everything else These remarks are very much to the point. We have always urged that, without some practical definition of the relations between China and Korea, questions connected with the little Kingdom could not fail to constitue an irritated anot in the intercourse between the two empires. The recent convention has not removed this source of trouble. On the contrary, it has rather

KASHGAR.Advices from the North are to the effect that the trouble in Kashgar, so far from diminishing, is assuming very serious proportions and causing grave anxiety to the Government. At correspendent at Tientsin, too, tells us of the very gloomy harvest prospects that prevail in the North, so that there is probably a good deal of } trouble in store for the Government in the near future.—N. C. Daily News.

JAPAN.

YOKOHAMA. On the hight of the 29th May, between 10 and | First Horse #3,000 | & Puzasof £500-£2,000 and 11 o'clock, an attempt was made to set fire Second Horse 1,000 8 Prizesof 250 2,000 come into operation, also tables of COURT to the British ship Lennie Burrill, lying in Yoko-hama harbour. The mate of the vessel came on Starters divide 1,000 20 Prizesof 100 2,000 The APPENDIX consists of over DAVID SA shore and gave the alarm that the ship was on Non-Starters' fire. The P. M. S. S. Cz.'s. tug-bont Restless | divide at once proceeded to the vessel and on a search | The remaining £5,000 will be employed by being made it was found that a lot of tarred ma- the Club in making up a Book on the Cup and terial had been laid in a heap between the fore other races, that is, laying and taking the odds and main hatch on the top of some dumage, and for and against certain horses, by an entirely then set fire to. Fortunately the culprit was new system, the success of which was practically discovered just as he was trying to escape. He proved last year, when the profits resulting was a seaman belonging to the ship and had been therefrom realised over £12,000. The whole in irons for some past offence. He had broken of the winnings, including principal and profits the irons and having thrown one of the hatches to be equally divided amongst those subscribers overboard, was in the act of taking off his cout who will be unsuccessful in drawing either to jump into the sea and make for shore, when a horse or prize in the Great Sweep. Every he was caught and rafely secured. Japan subscriber to reserve a prize, be it large or

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time become quite an old resident of Hakodate. and her berth having been shifted close in shore. appearances are in favour of her becoming a permanent sequisition to our port. We have not as yet learned whether she will be repaired expenses are running on, she will soon but if she compelled to coin to express the numerous obis not already, a "dear" vessel to her owners. escape both on entering and leaving the port of of foreign relations has imposed upon them, are torpedoes laid at the entrance, without the pilo-tage of a Russian officer. She was, however, for students of a most instructive nature. Both more fortunate than a Korean and a Chinese the Court and Punti pronunciations are given fishing junk, both of which were blown up by the accounts being carefully marked on the best torpedoss and not one of their craws survived to tell the tale.- Japan Gazette Correspondent.

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